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## Lane, ramp closures along Main Street begin March 28

**EAST PEORIA** – The Illinois Department of Transportation announced that intermittent lane and ramp closures along Main Street (Illinois 8/29) between Washington and Center/Josephine streets and at the Cedar Street (Illinois 116/8) interchange, all in East Peoria, begin March 28.

The closures are necessary to take soil samples and will occur each day from 8:30 a.m. to 3:30 p.m. each day through April 29.

Motorists can expect delays and should allow extra time for trips through this area. To avoid the work area, when feasible, use of alternate routes should be considered. Drivers are urged to pay close attention to changed conditions and signs in the work zones, obey the posted speed limits, refrain from using mobile devices and be alert for workers and equipment.

Over the next six years, IDOT is planning to improve more than 3,500 miles of highway and 9 million square feet of bridge deck as part of the Rebuild Illinois capital program, which is investing \$33.2 billion into all modes of transportation. Accomplishments through Year Two included approximately \$5.2 billion of improvements statewide on 3,020 miles of highway, 270 bridges and 428 additional safety improvements.

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